

THE DAILY DIARY OF PRESIDENT JIMMY CARTER

LOCATION

THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

DATE (Mo., Day, Yr.)

MARCH 26, 1979

TIME DAY

5:00 a.m. MONDAY

TIME		PHONE	ACTIVITY
From	To	P = Placed R = Rec'd	
5:00		R	The President received a wake up call from the White House signal board operator.
5:39			The President went to the Oval Office.
8:15	8:25		The President met with his Assistant for National Security Affairs, Zbigniew Brzezinski.
8:45	9:10		The President met with:
8:45	9:10		Frank B. Moore, Assistant for Congressional Liaison
8:45	9:10		William H. Cable, Deputy Assistant for Congressional Liaison
8:45	9:10		Danny C. Tate, Deputy Assistant for Congressional Liaison
8:45	9:10		Robert G. Beckel, Special Assistant for Congressional Liaison
8:55	9:10		James C. Free, Special Assistant for Congressional Liaison
9:16	9:36		The President met with:
			Stuart E. Eizenstat, Assistant for Domestic Affairs and Policy
			Jack H. Watson, Jr., Assistant for Intergovernmental Affairs and Cabinet Secretary
			Joseph L. "Jody" Powell, Press Secretary
			Gerald M. Rafshoon, Assistant for Communications
9:36	9:37	R	The President talked with Secretary of State Cyrus R. Vance.
9:41			The President went to the South Grounds.
9:46			The President returned to the Oval Office.
9:46	10:00		The President met with Secretary Vance.
10:00			The President returned to the South Grounds.
			The President greeted President of the Arab Republic of Egypt, Anwar al Sadat.
10:02			The President escorted President Sadat to the Oval Office.
10:02	10:44		The President met with President Sadat.
10:44			The President escorted President Sadat to his motorcade on the South Grounds.

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From	To	P = Placed R = Rec'd	
			The President bade farewell to President Sadat.
10:48			The President returned to the Oval Office.
10:48	10:58		The President met with: Secretary Vance Hamilton Jordan, Assistant
11:02			The President returned to the South Grounds.
			The President greeted Prime Minister of the State of Israel Menachem Begin.
11:04			The President escorted Prime Minister Begin to the Oval Office.
11:04	11:55		The President met with: Prime Minister Begin
11:04	11:55		Moshe Dayan, Foreign Minister of the State of Israel
11:04	11:55		Ephraim Evron, Ambassador of the State of Israel to the U.S.
11:10	11:55		Secretary Vance
11:10	11:55		Mr. Brzezinski
11:55	12:05		The President met with: Secretary Vance
11:55	12:05		Mr. Brzezinski
11:55	12:05		Alfred L. "Roy" Atherton, Jr., Ambassador at Large
12:00	12:05		Mr. Powell
12:56			The President returned to the state floor Residence.
12:58			The President and the First Lady went to the North Portico.
			The President and the First Lady greeted President and Mrs. Sadat.
12:59			The Presidential party went to the Red Room.
1:01			The President and the First Lady returned to the North Portico.
			The President and the First Lady greeted Prime Minister and Mrs. Begin.
1:04			The Presidential party went to the Red Room.

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1:04 p.m. MONDAY

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1:04	1:05		The President and the First Lady participated in a press photo opportunity with: President and Mrs. Sadat Prime Minister and Mrs. Begin
1:05			The Presidential party went to the second floor Residence. The Presidential party had lunch.
2:02			The President escorted President Sadat and Prime Minister Begin to the North Grounds.
2:02	2:57		The President participated in a signing ceremony for the Peace Treaty between the Arab Republic of Egypt and the State of Israeli. Members of the press The President exchanged remarks with President Sadat and Prime Minister Begin. The remarks were broadcast live over nationwide television and via satellite in Egypt and Israel. The President escorted President Sadat and Prime Minister Begin to their motorcades on the North Grounds. The President bade farewell to President Sadat and Prime Minister Begin. The President and the First Lady went to the Blue Room.
3:00	3:39		The President participated in a meeting with selected Members of Congress attending the signing ceremony. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "A."</u>
3:39			The President returned to the second floor Residence.
3:43	3:44	R	The President talked with Mr. Powell.
3:45			The President returned to the Oval Office.
3:45	4:05		The President met with: Secretary Vance
3:45	4:05		Mr. Powell
4:00	4:05		Mr. Jordan
4:18		P	The President telephoned President Sadat. The call was not completed.

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4:26 p.m. MONDAY

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From	To	Placed Received	
4:26	4:27	R	The President talked with President Sadat.
4:30	4:40		The President met with Mr. Powell.
4:38	4:40	P	The President talked with Secretary Vance.
4:40	4:45		The President met with: Saul Bellow, writer, Chicago, Illinois Mrs. Saul (Alexandra) Bellow Paul Sloyan, correspondent for Newsday Mr. Powell
5:15	5:30		The President met with: Mr. Powell Mr. Rafshoon
5:33	5:34	P	The President talked with Secretary Vance.
5:40			The President returned to the second floor Residence.
5:51			The President and the First Lady went to the South Grounds.
5:51	6:12		The President and the First Lady went jogging.
6:12			The President and the First Lady returned to the second floor
8:14			The President and the First Lady went to the Blue Room.
			The President and the First Lady returned to the North Portico..
			, The President and the First Lady greeted President and Mrs. Sadat.
8:16			The Presidential party went to the Blue Room.
8:22			The President and the First Lady returned to the North Portico.
			The President and the First Lady greeted Prime Minister and Mrs. Begin.
8:24			The Presidential party went to the Blue Room.
8:36			The President and the First Lady escorted President and Mrs. Sadat, Prime Minister and Mrs. Begin to the South Grounds.

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8:36 p.m. MONDAY

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From	To	P-Placed R-Rec'd	
8:36	12:07		The President and the First Lady hosted a State Dinner in honor of President and Mrs. Sadat and Prime Minister and Mrs. Begin on the occasion of the Peace Treaty between the two countries. For a list of attendees, see <u>APPENDIX "B."</u> Members of the press, in/out
10:25			The President exchanged toasts with President Sadat and Prime Minister Begin.
11:10	12:00		The Presidential party was entertained by the following performing artists: Egyptian Trio Itzhak Perlman, violinist Pinchas Zukerman, violinist Leontyne Price, soprano
12:00			The President and the First Lady escorted President and Mrs. Sadat and Prime Minister and Mrs. Begin to the North Portico. For a record of the President's activities after midnight, see the daily diary for March 25, 1979.
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